IN SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

FEBRUARY 17, 1846.
Submitted, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Johnson, of Louisiana, made the following

REPORT:

The Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred the petition of Daniel B.

Baker, submit the following report:

The petitioner alleges that he was a soldier of Captain Mills' company of the twenty-third regiment of United States infantry: that on the 6th of June, 1813, he was taken prisoner, and that he was discharged in 1817. He states that, owing to his sufferings while in captivity, his health has been impaired, and he asks a pension. Not the slightest proof has been presented in support of the statements contained in the petition. If the petitioner can prove the facts alleged, in conformity to the regulations established by the Secretary of War for substantiating claims to pensions, the department has power to grant him a pension.

The committee recommend the adoption of the following resolution: Resolved, That the prayer of the petition ought not to be granted.

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